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LOCAL NEWS.

County Court Monday.

Born to the wife of J. W. Johnson, Dec. 31, a fine boy.

G. W. Perry has moved to his farm two miles from town.

As soon as a season comes tobacco will begin to move.

Lard cans for sale at low prices.

THOMAS BROS

Thomas Bros., have moved to the J. N. Woods house.

A. H. Cook, of Hopkinsville, is in town buying and loading rough lumber.

Moore Bros., have moved to the business house recently occupied by Thomas Bros.

Its furniture that Clement & Dyer have for sale. When in need of any article in the line, call on them.

Mr. Nathan Owing, of Elkton, has succeeded Mr. Thomas as store-keeper at F. E. Robertson & Co's. distillery.

The man who took through mistake my saddle pockets from Weldon's store, Dec. 22, will please return them to same place, and get his.

J. B. Easley.

A. T. Cooper, of Nunn's Switch, is on trial at the court house to-day upon two charges of giving liquor to a minor.

Fire at Henderson on the second destroyed W. S. Johnson's drug store. Loss about \$15,000.

Chas Mills, colored, was acquitted of the charge of petty larceny, yesterday. The accusation was unlawfully taking a Columbian half dollar.

Mr. A. H. Cardin has commenced buying tobacco. He has already bought considerable to be delivered at his Marion house.

J. W. Johnson has fresh groceries, call at his house on the corner and get them. Shoe shop in rear of house.

Walter Clement and M. T. Dyer have purchased the Bennett & Guess furniture store and will continue business at the old stand—second door north of the bank. See them if you want furniture.

According to rumor a well-known young man of this county recently left in haste for the west, first disposing of his possessions here, leaving behind a young lady whose future is anything but bright; it is the old story of man's perfidy and woman's weakness.

Mr. J. Murray Travis, of Iron Hill paid us a call Monday. He has a disposition to become a candidate for the Democratic nomination for jailer. Murray is a splendid citizen, a good man, and as good a Democrat as Piney precinct affords, and says: "I am blue as any precinct in the county."

A O. Boykin, a colored teacher from Grand Rivers was in town Monday on the lookout for a school. He is a man of pleasant address, a good talker, well educated and bears a good reputation for morality. He has been teaching for 20 years, and has made a success. He would be a valuable addition to the colored educational cause in Crittenden.

The persistent cough which usually follows an attack of the grip can be permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. W. A. McGuire of McKay, Ohio, says: "La Grippe left me with a severe cough. After using several different medicines without relief, I tried Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which effected a permanent cure. I have also found it to be without an equal for children when troubled with colds or croup. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Moore & Orme, Druggists."

DOSIA DOBBS DIGGING DIRT.

A Hog Follow Him Home, and Trouble Ensues.

Tuesday Dosia Dobbs was before the county Judge to answer the charge of stealing a hog. Dosia was put in jail last week, consequently when the case was called he was promptly on hands to repel the insinuation. A few weeks ago Dosia moved from near Crayneville to the extreme southern portion of the county, a distance of some eight or ten miles. When he left his home for new one, a hog belonging to one of his neighbors was so affectionate as to follow Dosia the entire distance and having persistently worried Dosia with his presence, refusing to return home, Dosia made pork of the animal and sold it. The court having heard the testimony concluded that Dosia followed the hog, consequently Dosia began a thirty days job handling the shovel and pick on the street, with city marshal Loyd as boss.

Dosia did not object seriously to his assignment on public work, but he considers the charge of hog stealing as a blight upon his name.

A HEINOUS CRIME.

George Gibbs a Fugitive from Justice.

About ten days ago a heinous crime was committed in the Salem neighborhood, and in order to catch the perpetrator, the matter has been kept very still, and even yet only meager particulars can be learned. George Gibbs a young farmer on the Salem neighborhood assaulted Miss Birdie Shelby, a highly respectable young lady of the same neighborhood, and to whom he had been paying court. When the matter became known Gibbs fled and the officers have been close upon his heels for several days. He has probably gone to Missouri, and every effort will be made to bring him back. The people are very indignant over the matter and there is no telling what the result will be if Gibbs is captured and returned. He has heretofore borne a good name, and the young lady is of one of the first families in Livingston county.

STOLE \$500.

Tom Wilson, of Smithland, Loses Quite a Sum of Money.

Tom Wilson, a saloon keeper of Smithland, went home night before last with \$500 in his pocket and leaving his pants on the back of a chair retired. When he arose the next morning he was not long in discovering the fact that the contents of his pockets had been extracted while he slept. The loss will fall quite heavily on Mr. Wilson, and there is not the slightest clue leading to the thief's identity.—Paducah Standard.

This year Rev. M. H. Miley will devote his entire time as pastor to the church at this place. He gets a salary of \$1000—the highest salary paid any minister in the county.

Married in the Union church at Salem Ky., January 2nd 1894 by Rev. W. B. Crichton, Rev. B. A. Brandon, of the Louisville Conference to Miss Carrie B. Parker.

The Livingston county Teachers' Association held its meeting at Salem on the 28th. About 30 Livingston county teachers and a half dozen pedagogues from Crittenden were in attendance. The meeting was pleasant as well as profitable, sensible and encouraging addresses were made, and fraternal feelings incited. It was a success. Crittenden county teachers could profitably emulate the example of Livingston by organizing and maintaining as good an association.

Mr. J. B. Tichnor, the O. V. agent at this place, has been succeeded by Mr. T. C. Jamerson, from Uniontown. Mr. Tichnor's several month's stay here, and his management of the business of the office has been very satisfactory to the public. He is a pleasant man to do business with, and the Press regrets his leaving. Mr. Jamerson is a good man and will doubtless please the public.

The business meeting closed Tuesday of last week, but Rev. B. A. Cundiff remained and held a meeting until Monday of this week. Large congregations attended the services. Rev. Cundiff is an able and earnest preacher and his sermons attract wide attention and arouse deep interest. His memory is wonderful in its retentive power. He will read his text, then close the Bible and for two hours, during his discourse, quote countless passages. Some of them embracing as many as a dozen verses, citing book and chapter where each can be found, as readily and as accurately as the preacher who reads them from the book.

Spring School.

I will teach a four months term at Caldwell Springs, beginning first Monday in March. Special attention given to those who wish to prepare for examination. Board can be had at very reasonable rates. Tuition moderate. For other information address R. B. Gam, Marion, Ky.

CITY COUNCIL.

The Last Business of the Old Board.

Monday the Board of Trustees that has been in service for two and a half years held its final meeting.

The following claims were allowed: H. Koltinsky, clerk of election \$2.00.

J. W. Goodloe, sheriff election, \$2.00.

W. H. Crow, judge of election \$2.00.

Wm. Redd, judge of election \$2.00.

R. C. Walker printing by-laws, and blanks \$20.75, services as clerk \$15; services as commissioner in selling lot \$5.

H. F. Ray, copying by-laws \$5.

W. M. Freeman, hauling dirt on street \$3.

E. C. Flannery and A. Wilborn, drafting by-laws, \$30.

Pierce & Son tools furnished town \$30.55.

The outgoing City Treasury, Marshal and Police Judge were directed to file report of funds on hand at next meeting of the board.

It was ordered that after January 1st, that each member of the board be allowed \$2 for each regular meeting he attends. Some other important orders were made, and the old board adjourned to meet no more.

The new board having been qualified, convened Monday evening. This board is composed of J. P. Pierce, J. H. Clark, S. Gugenheim, W. D. Cannon and H. H. Loviag. J. P. Pierce was chosen Chairman, and R. C. Walker was re-elected Clerk and Treasurer; E. C. Flannery, City Attorney. In addition to the office of Marshal, J. F. Loyd was appointed Assessor, Collector and Superintendent of streets.

The second Tuesday night of each month was selected for the regular meetings of the board.

After the organization had been completed, C. E. Doss appeared before the board and asked that office home licenses be granted to C. E. Doss & Co.

A resolution was adopted providing that the vote on the Doss motion be taken by secret ballot.

A slip of paper was then handed to each member of the board, and when the slips were collected four were for granting the licenses and one against; hence by a vote of 4 to 1, C. E. Doss & Co., will upon payment of \$500 into the city treasury be granted licenses to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors by the drink or otherwise at the brick house so long occupied by A. Wolff.

Last night the board held a call meeting and granted John Grissom coffee house licenses.

Shot In The Face.

At Jetico, in the Hurricane neighborhood, Christmas was celebrated by Jas. Ray, D. Todd and Wm. Todd, all colored, in an inglorious way. The two Todds were pitted against Ray; several shots were fired; the Todds used a pistol and were bad marksmen; Ray used a shot gun and D. Todd's face bears the marks of his excellence as a shot. "Spiro LaRue held them in bond to answer any indictment the grand jury might find. Ray afterwards came to town and had a warrant issued charging Ullis Kent with carrying a pistol. Kent was arrested and when asked to give bond planked down good gold money as his bondsman. His trial came up Tuesday.

Holiday Weddings.

Mitchel Heason and Miss Mary Turley.
Arch G. Mavama and Miss Minnie A. Travis.
B. A. Brandon and Miss Carrie B. Parker.
Edson B. Lynch and Miss Liza J. Clark.
Francis M. Davidson and Miss Minnie B. Allen.
Robert Morse and Miss Amanda Tolly.
Jas. A. Morgan and Miss Emma Morgan.
Henry C. Wilson and Miss Fannie Clark.
Jas. Alx Hill and Miss Luda L. Hill.
E. A. Crowell to Miss Sarah C. Smith.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed for in the post-office at Marion, Ky.
Rev. Geo. Canoun, Ida Batts, Mrs. W. B. Dadds, Rev. H. Gordon, Birdie Hughes, Martha Jones, John Johnson, Alice Lewis, J. M. Mitchell, Miss George Sweetser, Annie Smith, Lewis Stone, Nettie Sims, Hattie M. Sight, R. P. Underdown, Wm. Webb, T. N. Walker. Persons calling for any of the above letters will please pay advertised.

A. M. Hearin, P. M.

Satan Gets In His Work.
At a Christmas tree at the C. P., colored church at this place a general fight occurred in which participated Henry Miller, alias "Satan," Chas. Mills, Enoch Hunter, B. M. Harmon and Sam Rutter. All of them had been bruised and each reported that he was knocked down by "Satan." County Judge Moore has been adjudicating the matter. "Satan" stays in jail until Circuit Court to answer the charge of malicious striking and wounding; Hunter and Harmon were discharged. Rutter was too seriously damaged to appear in court.

FEW CHANGES.

The Tax Supervisors Overhaul The Assessor's Books.

The Board of Tax Supervisors for Crittenden county convened at Marion Monday. The Board is composed of W. F. Paris, Wm. Brown, A. J. Bennett, E. L. Nunn and E. H. Porter. The work of going over the assessor's book, and making changes in assessment and noting the names of those who were not assessed was completed yesterday, and the sheriff began the work of notifying those whose lists were raised to appear before the board, if they desired, and show cause why the raise should not be made.

The following changes were made. The first row of figures being the figures fixed by the tax-payer and the last list the boards figures:

MARION.		
Thos. M. Hill	\$2000	\$2,500
W. H. Ordway	5,500	6,000
P. E. Shoemaker	2,000	2,400
W. L. Bigham	1,000	1,800
W. D. Haynes	1,500	2,000
John C. James	600	1,000

UNION.		
A. G. Butler	500	700
H. P. Brown	700	1000
Silas Coran	150	300
F. M. Wrign	250	400

HURRICANE.		
R. H. Benlar	150	250
Geo. T. Belt	1,000	1,500
Dr. R. G. Carty	1,500	1,800
W. F. Harmon	500	700
Thos J. Hooser	1,500	1,500

FORD'S FERRY.		
Levi Cook	900	1,200
Sarah E. Flannery	1,400	1,500
Robt Heath	300	500

BELLS MINES.		
Fred Barmlly	20	200
Geo. Galagan	1,200	1,500
R. W. Taylor	1,200	1,500
Jno Threlkeld	480	800
C. C. Hoines	1,000	1,600
A. L. Morgan	35	350
J. S. Newcomb	800	1,000

PINEY.		
Crnee & Baldwin	700	1,000
J. M. Walker	800	1,200

The Assessment.

The assessed value of the property of the county, by precincts, for this year, is as follows:

Marion No. 2,	\$648,687
Marion No. 1,	263,190
Dynsburg,	241,329
Union,	173,105
Hurricane,	483,615
Ford's Ferry,	152,530
Bells Mines,	181,860
Piney,	274,048
Total,	\$2,418,364
Colored list,	21,391

Grand Total, \$2,439,655
The valuation this year is \$67,000 short of last year's assessment.

Died From Burnes.

Some weeks ago a little boy of Fred Cook, near Ford's Ferry, was accidentally very badly burned. While he suffered intensively and was known to be in a precarious condition, it was hoped that he would get well; but last week he died.

Suits Filed.

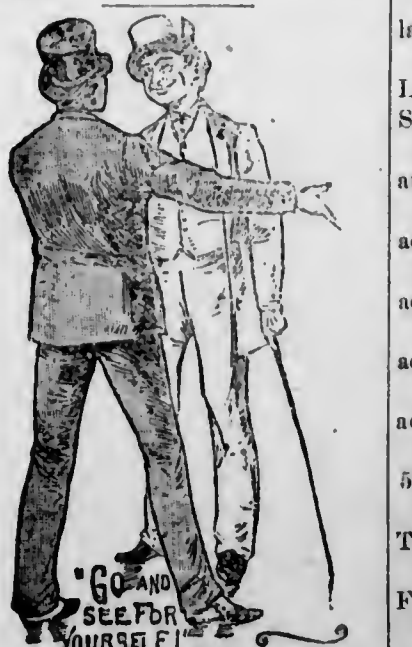
Since the adjournment of circuit court only two suits have been filed. W. J. Paris vs W. L. Bigham for \$5,000 damages for accusing him of house breaking.
D. J. Travis filed suit against J. W. and G. W. Johnson to collect a note of \$237.

Dying Fast.

Last year Sam Hawkins a colored man who lived south of Marion moved to John Reed's farm in Lyon county. He got along all right until about three weeks ago, when his wife sickened and died; last Thursday Sam died, and his oldest boy is expected to live but a few days.

Fined \$25.00.

Dan Mathews was before Judge Moore a few days ago, to answer the charge of malicious shooting. He was acquitted of that charge and fined \$25.00 for carrying a concealed weapon.



Boy—"Pa, who are those men and what are they talking so loud for?"
Pa—"Son, the one with his back to you is a man who had his tax list raised by the supervisors: see he carries one is a tax supervisor: see he carries a stick, you had better run home, sonny, there may be trouble here directly."

IT IS OVER

And Miss Mina's Right to the Office Established Beyond Cavil.

One is as Good as 1000.

There remains but little to be told of the much talked of election contest. Miss Mina Wheeler will be Crittenden county's next School Superintendent. When the contesting board reconvened Mr. Perry presented a long rejoinder to Miss Wheeler's answer, setting up divers matters, figuratively claiming the earth and a part of the moon. The court by a vote of two to one would not permit the filing of the paper, and proceeded to open the sealed up ballots, of which there were nineteen from precincts as follows: Marion No. 1, 2; Marion No. 2, 12; Tolu, 2; Ford's Ferry 3. In about five minutes after the ballots were spread out the court agree that six of the number were intended for Mr. Perry, and five for Miss Wheeler; the intention of the voters who cast the remaining eight could not be told and they were not counted, hence according to the unanimous vote the court Miss Mina Wheeler defeats G. W. Perry for School Superintendent in Crittenden county by one majority.

GOES WET.

After Four Years of Dry Marion Again to Have Saloons.

By a Vote of Four to One.

Monday immediately after the new Board of Trustees organized C. E. Doss asked for licenses to sell liquor by the drink. There was but little delay, in granting the privilege. The tax was fixed at \$500 and in three minutes by a vote of 4 to 1 the licenses were granted.

Since January 14, 1890, there has been no saloons in Marion, local option having been voted the August previous, and since that there has been a standing fight between the wets and dries, and when ever occasion offered in the courts or at the polls each has taken a whack at the other. For four years the dries have practically held the long end of the string, but now it seems that the wets are to have their inning.

One saloon will not be all that the town will have, at the meeting of the board next Tuesday night, Mr. W. H. Copher will be on hands with \$500 asking a permit to do business, and doubtless he will secure licenses. It is said that still other parties are contemplating starting the third saloon.

His Honor Judge Graves.

Tuesday George Graves, Police Judge edict of Dynsburg, came up and qualified as Judge with Dr. W. S. Graves as surety. Having assumed the robes of his office, and possessing natural dignity commensurate with the honor, he will hereafter be known as "Judge" instead of George. While Dynsburg, like other incorporated towns of the county, have good officers she needs a prison in which to confine the obstreperous, and to supply this want a lock-up will probably be one of the years additions to the prosperous little town.

"Speaking of lock-ups," said a gentleman standing by when the matter was being discussed, "they are not expensive. Sam has one, and the only cost was arranging a good outside latch on a stout stable. So far there has been no trouble in sobering up the too noisy in it."

Deeds Recorded.

E. C. Douglass to J. B. Hubbard house and lot for \$1000.
John W. Paris to Chas A. Morgan 18 acres for \$375.
R. W. Wilson to W. S. Hale land for \$1,600.
Wm. H. Rutherford to Marion W. Hazel 64 acres for \$275.
W. S. Riggs to T. B. Riggs 52 acres for \$540.
Joseph Kirk to T. L. Waddell 50 acres \$250.
S. L. Waggoner to W. C. Ogilby land for \$1,000.
A. J. Bebout to Hurricane Masonic Lodge second story of building at Sheridan for \$100.
Jno. G. Brantly to Reynolds and Cook 50 acres for \$200.
J. R. Clark to Joe W. Jeffreys 103 acres for \$600.
J. R. Clark to Joe R. Clark 30 acres for \$175.
O. T. Hodge to Sarah J. Brasher 9 acres for \$75.
W. W. Mayes to R. T. Mays 177 acres for \$1200.
W. C. Carnahan to A. J. Pickens 50 acres for \$500.
Joseph Kemp's heirs to Joe A. Truitt interest in land, for \$500.
John and E. L. Nunn to Dr. W. F. Truitt lot in Weston for \$5.
Mr. Thos. Black, of Bells Mines, is in town this week, in the interest of the Golden Cross, a fraternal insurance order, Mr. Black is a reliable man, and the order he represents is a good solid one.
Our Jailer, Uncle Joe, appears to entertain no fears of a catastrophe resulting from living in a condemned residence.

PERSONAL.

J. T. Rorer, of Fredonia, is in town to-day.
Mr. C. E. Doss went to Cincinnati, Monday night.
Mr. C. L. Dner, of Kelsey, was in town Tuesday.
A. Wilborn was in Paducah the first of the week.
Mr. A. F. Easley, of Shady Grove paid us a call Monday.
Bud Wadlington, Marshal of Dynsburg, was in town Tuesday.
J. G. McCain the Shady Grove lawyer, was in town Tuesday.

Dr. J. R. Clark went to Louisville Monday. He will be absent several weeks.

Mr. Will Weaver, of Henderson, was the guest of Dr. Swope's family last week.

Mr. A. C. Moore has been very ill several days. He is now regaining his health.

Mr. J. A. Farris, of Salem, was in town Saturday, en route home from Evansville.

Miss Stella Schwab, of Paducah, is the guest of the family of A. Schwab, of this place.

Misses Ellen and Susie Boyd, of Salem, were the guests of Mrs. J. M. Freeman last week.

Miss Jessie Barnes, of Uniontown, was the guest of Miss Mary Dorr, Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. J. B. Kevil has been confined to his room two weeks with a severe cold, that has effected his head.

Mrs. T. J. Nunn and daughter, of Madisonville, has been the guest of friends in Marion several days.

Dr. A. J. Donakey left for Louisville Monday. He is taking a post graduate course in the Medical University.

Miss Rupert Jewell, after spending a few weeks with relatives in Marion, returned to her home in Smithland, Monday.

Wm. Mays, one of our study, prosperous young farmers, sold his farm a few days ago to his brother, Dick, and left for the west.

Mrs. Carrie Maxwell and children returned from Paducah last week, and the Maxwell's are housekeeping again on De street.

C. W. DeHaven, of Marshall county, was in town yesterday. He had been visiting relatives in the Shady Grove neighborhood.

Dr. Wiley Truitt, of Weston, was in town Monday. The doctor is one of the rising young physicians in Crittenden, and is enjoying a growing practice.

On the 27th, Miss Nellie Harby, a young lady well known in Marion, and Dy. Keller, of Louisville, were united in marriage at the bride's home in Dawson.

Miss Lillie Flannery, of Weatherford Tex., is the guest of relatives in this county. She is the daughter of Mr. Gordon Flannery, who moved from this county to Texas, some years ago.

Messrs Hughey and Freeman Hurley are at home from Illinois on a visit. The former is clerking for Rufus Stinson at Carmi, and the latter for Charles Stinson at Ridge-way.

Yesterday Dr. Clarence Moreland left for Louisville to attend Medical College; the two little orphan children of his brother, Wm. Moreland, accompanied him to Louisville, where they will enter the Masonic Orphan's Home.

Mr. E. E. Thurman, accompanied by Dr. J. H. Clark, went to Evansville Saturday to have a noted oculist examine the eyes of the former. For three years his sight has been failing. The oculist as well as Dr. Clark think the trouble can be removed.

Mr. Cam Wallace and wife are in Marion, guests of Mr. J. W. Wallace. Cam will probably locate in Marion again. He has been married only a few weeks, and while it is a little late the Press extends congratulations and hopes that the worthy young man and his happy wife will find no disappointments.

Messrs. C. S. Nunn, O. M. James, John Wilson and Lewis Bebout, and Messes Lemah and Della Baraes, Mary Hurt and Lillie B. Flannery formed a party that spent Saturday and Sunday at the pleasant country home of Mr. John Flannery near Ford's Ferry. They had a gay time and were royally entertained by Mr. Flannery and his estimable wife.

Miss Nannie Clement who went to the Pan Handle country in Texas, some years ago and homesteaded a section of land; has returned to Crittenden, a wealthier girl. Miss Nannie and Miss Belle Stewart went out together, the latter won her farm, lost her heart and gave her hand to a prosperous Texian; while the former won her farm, preserved her heart, and kept her hand, and is at home again fancy free.

Last year County Clerk Woods issued 135 marriage licenses.

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COFFINS.

IN THE YEAR MILLION.

Everybody Will Then Have a Fine
Case of Swollen Head.Look at the Pretty Picture Below and
You Will See What the Human Race
Is Coming To in the Year Million.

Somewhere in the Fall Mill Budget has let his fancy take wings in the contemplation of the time when all the 6,000,000 people in these United States will be anything but humanly.

This romance's theme is "The Man of the Year Million," and, judging from the accompanying picture, it will take about that long to complete the change. There is comfort in the thought that there is some little time ahead for good-looking fellows.

In his introduction this writer says: "Accomplished literature is all very well in its way, but much more fascinating to the contemplative man are the books that have not been written. These latter are no trouble to hold; there are no pages to turn over. One can read them in bed on sleepless nights without a candle."

One of the unwritten volumes is a big book by Prof. Holzkopf, of the University of Wisconsin, on "The Necessary Characters of the Man of the Remote Future, Deduced from the Existing Stream of Tendency."

Just as the bird is the creature of the wing, and is molded and modified for flying, so the man of the future must be molded and modified by physical strength. Naturally, then, that which is unusual in him must gradually disappear, as civilization, more and more, becomes a fixed habit. He doesn't need big muscles to get a living; nor big jaws to seize his food and crush it. His jaws get smaller, his teeth and hair are soon lost; trains and trolleys carry him wherever he needs to go; he doesn't need his feet to walk; he hunts him. Wit and not strength.



THE COMING MAN.

Is what he needs. Hence the legs will shrink up and the head swell.

Science gives him the knife and fork. There is no reason why it should not make a man who is not a fool. Does it not now digest it with all the pepin compounds? Teeth will disappear.

The eyebrow used to be a buffer to protect the eye from savage blows. Once exterminated, the eye will be ridged of bone over the eye will go the way of hair on the pate.

In some of the most highly-developed crustaceans the whole alimentary canal has solidified into a useless case, because the animal is nourished by the food in which it swims. The man of the year million will not be bothered with servants handling him things on plates, which he will chew and swallow and digest. He will bathe in an amber liquid which will be pure food, no waste matter, assimilated through the pores of the skin. The mouth will shrink to a rosbud thing; the teeth will disappear; the nose will disappear. It is not nearly as big as it was in savage days—the ears will go away. They are already folded up from what they were, and only a little tip fast resembling remains to show that ages ago they were long pointed things which bent forward and backward to catch the sound of approaching enemies.

But the hands grow, for they are exponents of the brain, and the great, soulful eyes.

Prof. Holzkopf goes on to that gloomy time when all animal life shall have been superseded by mechanical contrivances, on to the time when the earth cools and the human tulip-burrow in the earth for warmth.

But the year million is far enough away, isn't it?

His Conscience "Drops Loose."

A lawyer in Florida had been retained to protect a local railroad against farmers whose animals were pulverized by the trains. For three years he appeared before the county and district courts in advocacy of the wrongs of his clients. Finally he was discharged by a railway company and at once became a populist. Three days later he represented a man whose long-boned horse had become a thoroughbred Jersey by cross with the locomotive he faced a lawyer who was his successor in the affliction of the local Jay Gould. "I want to declare now," he said, in concluding his diatribe against the grasping and soulless monopoly that, vampire-like, sucked the life-blood of the people, "that for three years I held my conscience in abeyance, but now it has broke loose."

Brush trays seem to recommend themselves as necessities. They are of every kind and shape, and are placed either end for the brushes. The square compartment in the center is floored with a mirror, and into this the round brush for the hair, hat or velvet may be dropped.

JAMES R. SOVEREIGN.

The New Grand Master Workman of the Knights of Labor.

The new grand master workman of the Knights of Labor, after a brief return to Des Moines, has gone east again and is now in Philadelphia making arrangements to sell the K. of L. property there in accordance with the instructions of the general assembly of the knights preparatory to removing the headquarters of the order either to Washington or Baltimore.

"I propose," said Mr. Sovereign, when asked about his plans with reference to his work in the responsible position to which he has just been elected, "to go over the continent."



JAMES R. SOVEREIGN.

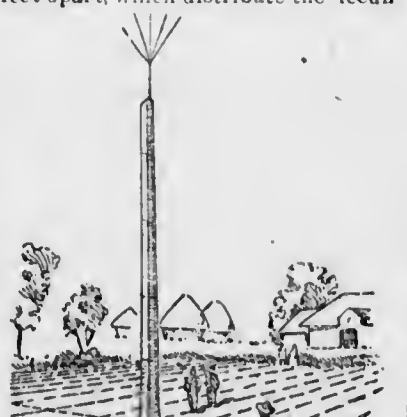
try organizing and building up the order in accordance with the principle of the constitution. Having never been in antagonism to the trades unions, and believing in the federation in the labor movement, I expect the hearty cooperation of my fellow knights and the workers generally. Anything that I can do to bring about a closer affiliation and more harmony between the different labor organizations will certainly be done, and when the general assembly meets in New Orleans next year I believe we will have twice the number of members we have now." Mr. Sovereign is a native of Wisconsin and is in his fortieth year. He is a marble worker by trade, but has also conducted several newspapers at various times, devoted to the labor interest. He believes in the theories of the greenback party, but gave valuable aid to Gov. Hoar during his first candidacy in 1880 and was appointed labor commissioner. He prepared the statistics which formed the basis of Gov. Hoar's famous speech at the democratic banquet in Madison square in 1890, in which the governor said that corn had been raised at a loss in Iowa during the five preceding years. When Gov. Hoar was re-elected, Mr. Sovereign was labor commissioner. His term expires next April.

BROTHER PAULIN'S PLAN.

How a French Priest Fertilizes Fields by Electricity.

Electricity has been utilized in France by Brother Paulin, a Catholic priest, in the promotion of the growth of vegetables and vines with decided success. It is not the electricity of the dynamo and battery that does the work, but nature's own, as generated in the atmosphere a slight distance from the earth by the meteorological phenomena of storms, rain and wind. The invention promises to be especially valuable for growing vegetables and fruits in the vicinity of large towns.

A French paper gives particulars regarding this very promising discovery. The electricity is obtained by erecting a resinous pole forty or sixty feet in height, and higher, if possible, supporting an insulated galvanized iron rod, terminating at the top in five branches of copper. At the bottom this collector of electricity communicates with a system of iron wires spaced six feet apart, which distribute the electric current.



THE ELECTRICAL FERTILIZER.

dating fluid throughout the whole extent of the field, and the electric current, in the accompanying picture, the conducting wires are shown upon the surface of the earth in order to show their arrangement. In reality they are buried at such a depth as not to interfere with the work of culture. Such an insulation will last for several years. The apparatus operates as still as the wires withstand rust, and still permit the passage of the electric current. The apparatus is called the geomagnetifer. A height of fifty feet is suitable, for thirty acres.

Neither irreverent.

In 1850 the Wells-Fargo Express company disclaimed responsibility for loss or damage by fire, "the acts of God or the Indians, or any other public enemies of the government," which somehow didn't sound right.

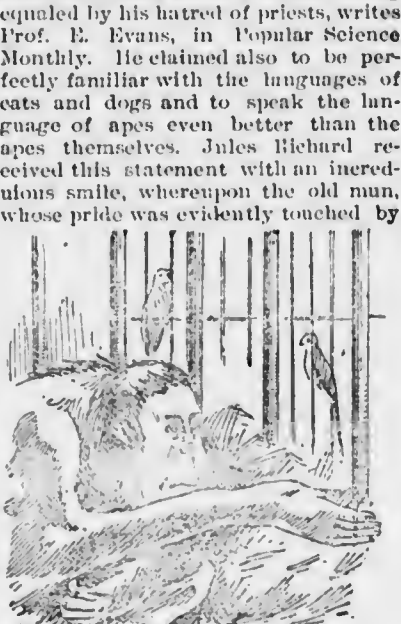
Chick and tree hankers.

In China, when a bank fails all the clerks and managers have their heads chopped off and thrown in a heap along with the books of the firm.

MONKEY LANGUAGE.

An Old Frenchman Can Teach Strangers to Talk.

In 1857 Jules Richard had occasion to visit a sick friend in a hospital, where he made the acquaintance of an old official of the institution from the south of France, who was exceedingly fond of animals, his love of them being equalled by his hatred of priests, writes Prof. E. Evans, in Popular Science Monthly. He claimed also to be perfectly familiar with the languages of cats and dogs and to speak the language of apes even better than the apes themselves. Jules Richard received this statement with an incredulous smile, whereupon the old man, whose pride was evidently touched by



THE MONKEY SAYS "HOWDY DO."

much scorn, invited him to come the next morning to the zoological garden.

"I met him at the appointed time and place," says Mr. Richard, "and we went together to the monkey house, where he leaned to the outer railing and began to utter a succession of guttural sounds, which alphabetical signs are scarcely adequate to represent. 'Krrrrrr, krrrrrr, krrrrrr' repeated with slight variations and differences of accentuation. In a few minutes the whole community of monkeys, a dozen in number, as he called them, in response to his words, raised their heads, looked at him, and then, with their hands crossed in their laps or resting on their knees, laughing, gesticulating and answering."

"The conversation continued for a full quarter of an hour, to the intense delight of the monkeys, who took a lively part in it. As their interlocutor was about to go away they all became intensely excited, climbing up the balustrade and uttering cries of lamentation, which he finally deemed necessary to soothe by a few words. They then ran up to the top of the cage, and, clinging to the grille, made motions as if they were bidding him good-bye."

MISS TAYLOR'S MISSION.

She Will Preach the Gospel in Africa.

The Methodist missionaries and converts in Africa need no longer have their thoughts diverted from holy things by toothache and kindred ills. A dentist is to go among them, and the pioneer in this useful field is a young woman.

Dr. Jennie M. Taylor, a daughter of Rev. A. E. Taylor, of the Central Pennsylvania conference, has sailed on the Majestic on her way to Africa. She is supplied with forceps, drills and other dental instruments of torture, and will accompany her uncle, Bishop William Taylor, who has charge of the Methodist missionary work on the Dark Continent. They will leave England for Liberia, going thence to several stations on the Congo and on to Angola, where Miss Taylor may take up permanent headquarters. They will not return until 1895, and may remain in Africa even a longer time.

Miss Taylor is twenty-six years of age. She was graduated from Dickinson college in the class of '83, and received the degree of M. D. from the Women's Medical college in 1892. She was the first woman to be appointed resident physician in the Methodist hospital of Philadelphia, and since last winter has been pursuing a course in dentistry under Dr. William E. Darracq, a practicing dentist of that city. She is an accomplished musician with a fine voice, and speaks seven languages fluently. Although small in stature, she is well formed and robust, and has no fears of the hardships she will have to endure.



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"I found fifty dollars on Broadway yesterday." "Really? You are lucky." "No, I'm not. I felt so good over it I blew it all in before night, and when it was all gone I found the owner. I had to give him my note for it."

There are interesting designs in under tables. In one, on a tree branch perches an owl. Another is of overlying grape leaves and fruit. Beautifully-modeled leaves are applied to jewelry and animals in low relief and plain surfaces are thrown out from hammered metal surfaces—jewelers' class.

HOUSEHOLD BREVITIES.

A Flannel Night Robe and the Consequence.

He was going north on a Woodland avenue. He had a flannel robe on his knees and from the way he hitched around and looked at the men on either side of him it was evident that he wanted to talk to someone. He finally selected the man on his right, who was a dapper little fellow with eyeglasses and a gold cane.

"Ever bothered with the rheumatism?" inquired the man with the eyeglasses and a gold cane.

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"I'm having it considerably this fall," said the other. "Strikes me in the right shoulder and I can't wash the back of my neck more'n half the time. You look as though you might be subject to it."

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